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c. The former Flak Kaserne on Route 247 just outside Gotha is being reconstructed and one building is already held by 200 Volkspolizei. About three weeks ago, six Bereitschaften were shifted from the Bürger- und Kaserne in Gotha to Mühlhausen (M89).

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2. Ohrdruf (J15),

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a. Troops expected to raise total strength to 60,000 men have not yet made an appearance. During the observation period, only one rail transport, hauling vehicles in the [REDACTED] arrived from Altengradow (ZOO).

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b. Arrived 13 September from the direction of Georgenthal: about 150 men, fifty motorcycles with sidecars, five armored half-tracks (each with two MGs [REDACTED]), and two staff officers in

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3. Wipperode (~~105~~),

No changes. Traffic was normal, troops were busy cleaning weapons and vehicles. Source believes this to be an AT unit directly under a corps or army. In any event, the troops do not seem connected, or to have

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4. Kindl (M96), [REDACTED]

a. Although the road scheduled to be built from the Mechterstadt Bahnhof to the Kindl training area has not been started, the approach from the station has been widened in some places. Damaged roads are being repaired and hard roads are being laid down throughout the wooded area.

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b. Six railroad tank cars, containing a total of 120,000 liters of gasoline, were unloaded at Mechterstadt. The shipment came from Saalfeld (J53). Tank trucks [REDACTED] hauled the fuel to the training area.

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